

DISAPPOINTING

Is the Record of Fever Cases and Deaths at New Orleans.

Warm Weather Has Not Been of Any Benefit to the Patients.

Another Long List of New Cases and One Death Reported at Mobile, Ala.—Two New Cases at Jackson, Miss.—One New Case at Memphis, Tenn.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 6.—The record of yellow fever cases and deaths is disappointing. The death rate is higher than it has been for several days, and the number of new cases is not as small as the board of health officials predicted it would be. The situation, while it has not improved any, is not considered worse. The warm weather which was experienced here Friday, 80 in the shade, has not helped the patients along any. The fever record Friday was: New cases, 25; deaths, 10.

MOBILE, Ala., Nov. 6.—Another long list of new cases and one death were added to Mobile's fever total Friday. There is no increase in the death rate, however, and physicians report that the cases are for the most part exceedingly mild. New cases Friday, 11; deaths, 1. Outside of the city there were two deaths from the fever: Albert A. Swaney and Mrs. Annie Larue, near Whistler.

JACKSON, Miss., Nov. 6.—New cases of yellow fever were reported Friday as follows: Cayuga, County Fair, 1.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 6.—One new case of fever was reported Friday night and no deaths. The new case is Oliver Alexander, 77 Florida avenue, in the infected district. Friday night the weather was cold and another heavy frost expected.

PRESIDENT MORAES.

An Attempt to Assassinate Him by a Soldier—Minister of War Believed Killed.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—A dispatch to the Times from Rio Janeiro says:

"At one o'clock Friday afternoon a soldier of the Tenth battalion, which constitutes part of the local garrison, attempted to shoot President Moraes with a pistol. The president was just landing at the marine arsenal after visiting the steamer on which Gen. Barboza, minister of marine, had returned from Bahia.

"The bystanders frustrated the attempt, but Col. Moraes, the president's nephew, was slightly wounded in disarming the soldier. Gen. Barboza, minister of war, then intervened and was himself stabbed. The wound was so serious that he died soon afterwards. The attack has caused the greatest agitation throughout the city.

Weyler to Be Court-martialed.

MADRID, Nov. 6.—The Spanish government, as a result of the deliberations of the ministers over the utterances of Gen. Weyler, the former captain-general of Cuba, has come to the decision to try him by court-martial, no matter where he lands, if he confirms the accuracy of the press reports of his utterances. The commanding officers at all the ports of the Spanish kingdom have been instructed to demand of Gen. Weyler the moment he can be communicated with, the exact terms of the speech which he delivered in reply to the manifestation at Havana upon the occasion of his embarkation for Spain on Sunday.

Prisoners' Daring Escape.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 6.—Wm. Moran, 40 years old, and John Moran, his nephew, 16 years old, were sentenced to the Erie county penitentiary from Westfield, N. Y., for car burglary. Constable Driggs was detailed to bring the prisoners to Buffalo. They traveled on a fast Lake Shore train, and when near Lake View the prisoners made a rush for the car door and jumped from the train. Both rolled down a steep embankment. A farmer noticed the men running toward the woods shackled together, and notified the county police. The men were captured shortly afterward. Neither had been injured.

Fatally Wounded by a Robber.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 6.—John Nieding, a shoemaker, was shot and fatally wounded by a robber early Friday morning while asleep in his house on Antoine street. Mrs. Nieding was awakened just as the intruder appeared in the doorway of their room with a lighted match in his hand. Realizing that he was detected, the stranger fired a revolver at the bed. The bullet pierced the breast of the sleeping man, penetrating a lung and blood vessels. The robber escaped. Nieding can live but a few hours.

Millionaire McLean Dead.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 6.—G. D. McLean, the millionaire miner of Grass Valley, Cal., died at the Lick house late Thursday night, after a lingering illness. He was attended by his nephew, William Blakey, of Evansville, Ind., who will take the remains east for interment. Mr. McLean was interested in many mining enterprises, and with Stephen W. Dorsey, owned the famous Maryland mine, noted as a very valuable property.

Heavy Snow Storm.

LEAD, S. D., Nov. 6.—There is a very heavy snow storm in the Northern hills. Reports from the Northwest cattle range are that cattle have suffered considerably. Cattle on the way to Belle Fourche to be shipped will be affected worst.

Died Suddenly.

CLOQUET, Minn., Nov. 6.—George S. Shaw, the pioneer lumberman of Cloquet, president of the Cloquet Lumber Co., and one of the best known lumbermen in the northwest, died suddenly at his residence here Friday afternoon.

Colorado Election.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 6.—Chief Justice Charles D. Hoyt Friday conceded the election of his opponent, William H. Gabbert, the populist and democratic candidate. Gabbert's majority is over 8,000.

TRAINED ARTILLERYMEN

For the Proper Manning of Our Seacoast Defenses.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—The New York chamber of commerce has adopted the following resolutions: "Whereas, the United States is now constructing modern seacoast defenses, to include over 500 high-power guns, 1,000 12-second mortars and 300 rapid-firing guns, to be grouped at over 110 different points in about 25 different harbors, and has made appropriation for over 350 high-power guns and about the same number of 12-second mortars, of which one-half can be in their placements by June, 1898; and

Whereas, the present United States artillery force is wholly inadequate in number to care for and properly man these guns in their placements, or to be properly organized into a defensive system, or to furnish a nucleus of instructed artillerymen for the proper manning of these defenses in case of war; therefore be it resolved that we, the chamber of commerce of the city of New York, being fully impressed with the urgent need of an increase in number of the federal artillery force, to properly insure the vast amount of property of our city and other seacoast cities against destruction and levying of contributions that would be visited upon us in the event of war with foreign nations, do earnestly request and urge the president and congress of the United States to take such immediate action as will provide a force of trained artillerymen for the proper manning of our seacoast defenses, and it is believed by us that 11 seacoast batteries, requiring a numerical increase of the army of about 4,000 artillerymen, is absolutely necessary to accomplish these purposes."

UNUSUAL ACTIVITY

In the Brooklyn Navy Yard—Hurry for the Completion of the Two New Vessels.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—The Commercial Advertiser says Friday afternoon:

"The Brooklyn navy yard is active, and work on all the war vessels lying at the wharves or in the dry docks is being pushed forward as rapidly as possible, under orders from the navy department. No one seems to understand why so much haste is necessary, and inquiries are met with the invariable reply: 'It is nothing unusual. We are obeying orders issued some time ago, that is all. We always work at this station as rapidly as we can. Spain's naval activities have nothing to do with our industry.'

"An officer attached to the office of the commandant of the yard reported this time worn explanation Friday, but added that he believed some sort of an order had been received to urge the completion of the two new vessels, which are at the yard making preparations for their final trial under the board of inspection. These vessels are the torpedo boat Foote and the big battleship Iowa."

To Restore the Old Walls.

PENSACOLA, Fla., Nov. 6.—Maj. MacMurray, commanding the First artillery at Fort Barrancas has been instructed by Gen. Wilson, the chief of engineers, to restore the walls of old Fort San Carlos near Barrancas. This is the oldest and most interesting fortress in the United States. It was originally built by the Spaniards and was several times captured by the French and English. It has not been used since it was captured by the American army under Gen. Jackson in 1821. It will now probably be supplied with rapid-fire guns.

The Completion of the Legislature.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 6.—The Ohio legislature stands 74 republicans, 70 democrats, and one doubtful on the official returns received up to Friday night. With a dozen or more of the 88 counties very close there have been no material changes, except in Wood county, which will be claimed by both parties till the courts pass on the action of the supervisors.

Ex-Gov. Ponder Dead.

WILMINGTON, Del., Nov. 6.—James Ponder, former governor of Delaware, died at his home in Milton, Sussex county, Friday of paralysis, aged 78 years. He was for years active in state politics as a democrat, and was elected governor in 1870, serving four years.

Strange Sleep.

BOSTON, Nov. 6.—A case which is causing much perplexity to the members of the medical fraternity in Easton is that of Augustus Hanson, 18, who suddenly, last Sunday, when fully dressed dropped asleep. Since that time young Hanson has been in a dormant condition.

Ex-Banker Ide's Money.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 6.—The late Wm. S. Ide, who was murdered by Conchman John Smith last Saturday, was supposed, on account of his big failure more than a year ago, to have died intestate. It was revealed Friday that he leaves an estate of \$15,000.

Experimenter Killed.

COBROCKTON, O., Nov. 6.—Fred F. Biggs, vice president of the Tuscarora Advertising Co., fell from the roof of the three-story factory Friday morning while testing the flying qualities of a newly patented kite. He will die.

His Wife Confessed.

LIMA, O., Nov. 6.—George Mominee, in jail at Oak Harbor for burglary, is implicated, through his wife's confession, with a long series of robberies and incendiaries, extending over a period of 20 years.

Her Jaw Out of Place.

ROME, O., Nov. 6.—Miss Dora Forsythe Friday morning while lacing her shoes gave a yawn and her jaw flew out of place and remained in that position for an hour. It was set in place and she is resting well.

Will Abolish Import Duties on Cattle.

HAVANA, Nov. 6.—Capt. Gen. Blanco will shortly issue a decree abolishing for two months the import duties on cattle.

Elected by 23 Votes.

LANCASTER, N. Y., Nov. 6.—The official count of the election for mayor of this city, for the term 1898-99, is as follows: Mayor, 23 votes; 1st ward, 12; 2nd ward, 11.

MAXIMO GOMEZ

Will Not Accept Autonomy as a Basis of Settlement.

The Insurgents Will Continue to Fight Until Independence is Won.

Independence or Death Has Been and is Their Motto—Only the Former Will Put an End to the War in Cuba, Say Many Cuban Leaders.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—The Herald prints the following letter from Maxim Gomez, general-in-chief of the Cuban army of liberation, dated at his camp in Sancti Spiritus: "The enemies of Cuba have circulated in the United States the rumor that I am disposed to accept autonomy as a basis of settlement or solution of the present war. The constitution of Cuba absolutely establishes that peace is to be negotiated upon the basis of absolute independence of Cuba. It is to obtain independence that we have been fighting two years and will continue to fight until victory be ours.

"All statements that have been hitherto or may be in the future published to the effect that we are willing to accept any other solution short of independence should be regarded as false.

"We will fight for absolute independence, as we stated in the manifesto issued at Monte Cristo, as also it was later set down in our constitution, and as we are daily confirming it by the shedding of our blood on the battlefields.

"Salvador Cisneros, former president of the republic of Cuba, writes to the Herald:

"Independence or death has been and is our motto. We would rather see our beloved country disappear amid a heap of ashes than accept any concessions, no matter how ample, unless they carry with them the absolute independence of Cuba. To obtain this many of Cuba's best sons have given up their lives; to obtain this many more of her sons are daily shedding their blood, which, absorbed by the plants of our soil, we breathe in the air we inhale."

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—The Herald says: It is too late to talk of autonomy. Cuba is lost to Spain. Only independence for the island will put an end to the struggle now devastating the colony and ruining Spain.

That is what eight leading Cubans—all of whom formerly favored autonomy—told Senor Jose Canalejas in the Fifth Avenue hotel. These Cubans did not represent the junta for the junta will discuss autonomy with no one, but the conference is the more remarkable in its result, because the men who talked so firmly against any proposition except independence were formerly leading autonomists, who, in view of recent developments, say that even were they to listen to such a proposal the insurgents in the field would simply secede at it, as an evidence, not of Spain's good faith, but of her weakness and willingness to promise concessions rather than prosecute a hopeless war.

Senor Canalejas was formerly a member of the Spanish cabinet and is the proprietor of the Madrid Herald. He comes to sound American feeling and to inform himself by personal observation of the state of affairs in Cuba.

Canadian Government Unhappy.

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 6.—It is said at the fisheries department that the sealing counsel, Prof. Thompson, has been asked from Ottawa why it is that he has not come here, and his reply was that his instructions from the home government were to proceed to Washington. Great fears are expressed in official circles that Prof. Thompson has fallen a victim to the wiles of politicians at Washington and may have committed Great Britain to a certain line of action in connection with the recent conference with which it was understood Canada and Great Britain would have nothing to do.

Prohibition Bill Defeated.

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 6.—The Georgia senate Friday defeated a measure, which, if passed, would have the effect of making Georgia a prohibition state. The bill has been pending in the legislature since last year and has been exhaustively argued. The vote on the bill was 18 to 23. It is understood that the majority against the passage of the bill, would have been proportionately greater in the house, if the measure had ever reached that body.

Important Iron Ore Discovery.

CRYSTAL FALLS, Mich., Nov. 6.—The most important iron ore discovery on the Menominee range in several years has been made on the bank of the Michigan river, one mile south of the Mansfield mine. The vein is 77 feet deep and 40 feet wide. The ore assays 62 per cent. in iron and .051 per cent. in phosphate, thus putting it safely within the Bessemer limit.

Fatal Quarrel.

LOKOE, Ark., Nov. 6.—James Conley, a prominent cotton planter, and W. H. Booe, of the firm of W. H. Booe & Son, became involved in a dispute over a settlement Friday, when Booe drew a revolver and shot Conley five times. Conley was shot twice in the back and both lungs were pierced. He can not live through the night. Booe is in jail.

Martin Thorn's Trial.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—There is every indication that Martin Thorn, jointly indicted with Mrs. Augusta Napp for the murder of Wm. Goldensupp in Woodside, L. A., will be placed on trial next Monday morning in the Queens county court of oyer and terminer. Justice Wilmot W. Smith will preside.

Havemeyer Recovering.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—Henry O. Havemeyer, president of the American Sugar Refining Co., who underwent an operation for appendicitis at his country home in North Greenwich, Ct., is rapidly recovering, according to reports received at his office Friday.

CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

The Novosti says Russia will shortly establish a diplomatic agency in Morocco.

By an explosion at the Illinois steel works, at Milwaukee, Wis., five men were injured, two fatally.

Failures for the week have been 275 in the United States against 230 last year, and 30 in Canada, against 52 last year.

Fire early Friday destroyed property in West Dover, N. H., valued at \$80,000. It was the most serious conflagration that has occurred there since 1882.

Temple Emanuel, the Jewish synagogue at the corner of Twenty-Fourth and Curtis streets, Denver, Col., was totally destroyed by fire Friday. Loss \$35,000.

The Cologne Zeitung announces that two Rhenish missionaries, Nies and Henle, have been murdered in the southern part of the Chinese province of Shan Tung.

Notice was given Friday that on Monday the Willimantic Linen Co. will put to work in all departments a full force of hands on a full time schedule of 60 hours a week.

There is a rumor in circulation in Joliet, Ill., that the operators at Carbon Hill are planning to import Chinese laborers to take the places of the strikers in the mines.

D. W. Bunker, of Galesburg, Ill., junior commander of the Illinois G. A. R., was stricken with apoplexy at the Riverside sanitarium, at Hamilton, Ill., and died in a few hours.

Col. Henry T. Russell, vice president and general manager of the Union Drop Forge Co., Chicago, died suddenly of heart disease while at luncheon Friday. Col. Russell was 64 years old. He leaves a widow.

The Spanish government received a cable message from Marshal Blanco saying that "the autonomist party in Cuba is reorganizing" and "that several families who have emigrated are returning to the island."

The Constantinople correspondent of the London Times says: The sultan peremptorily refuses to permit lights in the Dardanelles or Gulf of Salonica until the peace treaty between Turkey and Greece has been signed.

The body of Algernon W. McKay, who lost his life in the New York Central railroad disaster at Garrison's, was found floating in the middle of the river off Iona island, four miles below the scene of the wreck Friday forenoon.

Chas. D. Fair, son of the late James G. Fair, has announced his retirement from the turf. Mr. Fair has been a liberal patron of racing for several years, but has met with nothing but hard luck. All his horses will be sold.

In the game played Friday in the chess match which began on Wednesday at the Chess club centrum, Berlin, between Janowski, the Parisian expert, and Walbrodt, the Berlin expert, the latter beat the former after 45 moves.

The trial of the crew of the schooner Competitor before the naval court-martial, whose decision must be confirmed by the Madrid government, will begin next Monday morning in Havana. Senor Masa Dominguez will conduct the defense.

Ambassador White at Berlin has informed the department of state that Dr. Von Hollben, the newly appointed ambassador of Germany to the United States, will sail from Bremen for his post on the North German Lloyd steamer sailing on the 9th inst.

At New York, Ellen Peck, who has been known for years as the queen of confidence women, was Friday sentenced to five years in prison by Judge Cowing. Mrs. Peck, who is 73 years old, was convicted of the larceny of \$1,200 worth of jewelry from Christopher Geni, of New York.

A deal has been consummated whereby the Northern Coal Co. becomes the absolute owner of 18 of the larger coal mines in the northern part of Colorado and at the same time controls the remainder of the mines in that district, excepting the Enterprise. As a result the price of northern coal advanced from \$2.75 per ton to \$3.50 and southern lignite coal from \$3.25 to \$4.

Forecast for Saturday.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—For Tennessee and Kentucky—Generally fair; colder in eastern portions; northerly winds.

For West Virginia—Showers, followed by clearing weather; decidedly colder; west to northwest winds.

For Ohio—Rain, followed by clearing weather; colder; brisk to high northerly winds.

For Indiana and Illinois—Fair; brisk northerly winds becoming variable.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 6.—FLOUR—Spring fancy, \$4.50; 470; spring family, \$4.00; 425; spring patent, \$4.00; 450; winter \$4.00; 425; fancy, \$4.25; 450; family, \$3.50; 425; extra, \$3.25; 425; low grade, \$2.50; 250; rye, northwestern, \$3.00; 250; do, city, \$3.00; 250.

WHEAT—Sales: Sample, red, track, 88c. CORN—Sales: Yellow ear, track, 25c; do landing, 26c. OATS—Sales: No. 2 mixed, track, 21c.

HOGS—Select shippers, \$6.70; 3.75; select butchers, \$6.70; 3.75; fair to good packers, \$6.50; 3.75; fair to good light, \$6.50; 3.75; common and rough, \$6.00; 3.50.

CATTLE—Fair to good shippers, \$4.00; 4.00; good to choice butchers, \$4.00; 4.00; fair to medium butchers, \$3.50; 3.50; common, \$3.00; 3.00.

SHEEP—Extras, \$3.50; 4.00; good to choice \$3.25; 3.75; common to fair, \$2.50; 3.00; LAMBS—Extras, \$5.00; 5.00; good to choice, \$4.50; 4.50; common to fair, \$4.00; 4.00.

VEAL CALVES—Fair to good light, \$5.25; 6.00; extras, \$6.25; common and large, \$5.00; 5.00.

WHEAT—November, 95c; December, 95c; 95c; old, 85c; January, 91c; May, 90c; 90c.

CORN—November, 25c; December, 25c; 25c; May, 25c.

GATS—November, 15c; 15c; December, 15c; 15c; May, 21c.

BARLEY—Cash, No. 3, 30c; 30c.

RYE—Cash, 46c; December, 46c; 47c; May, 49c.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Nov. 6.—CATTLE—Prime, \$4.00; 4.00; common, \$3.00; 3.00; bulls, stags and cows, \$2.00; 2.00.

HOGS—Prime Yorkers and assorted mediums, \$6.50; fair to good Yorkers, \$6.00; 6.00; common Yorkers and pigs, \$5.00; 5.00; heavy hogs, \$4.75; 4.75; rough, \$4.50; 4.50.

SHEEP—Choice, \$4.00; 4.00; common, \$3.75; 3.75; choice lambs, \$5.00; 5.00; common to good, \$4.00; 4.00.

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